IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Akira UEDA et al.

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HEAT PIPE TYPE COOLER

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Group Art Unit: 3743

Examiner: C. ATKINSON

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 3, 1998, extended for two months from March 3, 1999 to May 3, 1999 by petition for two month extension, with extension fee, filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1 (Twice Amended) A heat pipe [type] cooler, comprising:

a heat [receiver] receiving plate having first and second opposite surfaces, said heat receiving plate being adapted at said first surface to contact an element which generates heat and is to be cooled;

[a heat radiator; and